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FOR SECRETARY KREPS FROM AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: NA
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SUBJ: LAGOS INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR

1. WHEN IN WASHINGTON ON CONSULTATION SEVERAL MONTHS AGO, I HAD THE PRIVILEGE OF BRIEFING UNDER SECRETARY HARMAN ON THE PLANS FOR THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE IN LAGOS NOVEMBER 27 TO DECEMBER 12. AS YOU ARE DOUBTLESS AWARE, YOUR DEPARTMENT HAS COMMITTED ITSELF TO IMPORTANT SUPPORT OF THE FAIR, AND THIS EMBASSY AND OUR COMMERCE AND STATE DEPARTMENT ASSOCIATES ARE ENGAGED IN INCREASINGLY ACTIVE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE AMBITIOUS ARRANGEMENTS THAT MANY MAJOR US COMPANIES ARE NOW MAKING FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE EVENT

THIS WILL BE A MAJOR HAPPENING ON THE WORLD COMMERCIAL STAGE AND CARRIES GREAT PROMISE OF IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION TO OUR EFFORTS TO STRENGTHEN US/AFRICAN COLLABORATION IN ECONOMIC AND COMMERCIAL INTERCHANGE. THE FAIR PRESENTS IN ADDITION AN UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY FOR US TO ADVANCE ANOTHER SIGNIFICANT NOTCH FORWARD OUR STRENGTHENING RELATIONSHIP WITH NIGERIA, A COUNTRY OF HIGH PRIORITY IN CURRENT US FOREIGN POLICY. I CAN THINK OF NO BETTER WAY IN WHICH WE MIGHT DEMONSTRATE OUR RECOGNITION OF THIS PRIORITY THAN FOR YOU TO ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE IN THE OPENING OF THE LAGOS FAIR. I SUPPORT MOST WARMLY SECRETARY VANCE'S INVITATION THAT YOU VISIT

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